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For: FOOD EXTRACTION APPARATUS  
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Group Art Unit: 3761

Examiner: Keshia GIBSON

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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Fee (\$)	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Application Type	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

#### 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims 20 Extra Claims 0 Fee (\$)25 Fee Paid (\$)0 Multiple Dependent Claims Fee (\$)0 Fee Paid (\$)0  
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The items identified in this IDS may or may not be "material" pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56. The submission thereof by Applicants is not to be construed as an admission that any such patent, publication or other information referred to therein is material or considered to be material (37 CFR §1.97(h)), or even qualifies as "prior art" under 35 USC § 102 with respect to this invention unless specifically designated by Applicants as such.

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☐ This IDS is believed to be timely in that it is being submitted under 37 CFR § 1.97(b), that is (1) within three months of the filing date of the application, which is not a continued prosecution application filed under § 1.53(d); or (2) within three months of entry of the national stage as set forth in 37 CFR § 1.491; or (3) before the mailing of a first Office action on the

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merits; or (4) before the mailing of a first Office action after filing a request for continued examination under § 1.114. Thus, no fee is required.

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☒ This IDS is being submitted under 37 CFR §1.97(c), that is after mailing of a first Office action on the merits, but before a Final Action under 37 CFR §1.113 or a Notice of Allowance under 37 CFR §1.311.

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☐ A statement under 37 CFR §1.97(e) is included below, thus no fee is required. In the event that this IDS is not received before a Final Action or a Notice of Allowance, then Applicant respectfully requests that the Office consider the filing of these papers to be submitted under 37 CFR §1.97(d) and charge the fee due under 37 CFR §1.17(p) to the deposit account below.

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Respectfully submitted,  
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